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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Thursday 9:00am - 4:00pm Friday 9:00am -12:00noon

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tuesday, 7:00pm Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00am

SUNDAY MASS:

Saturday, 5:00pm Sunday, 9:00am, 11:00am

RECONCILIATION:

Tuesday, 6:15pm -6:45pm Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm (or by appointment)

BAPTISMS: Please contact the office at least 3 months prior to desired date.

<u>Becoming Catholic-RCIA:</u> For those not Baptized, or who have not yet completed their initiation, please call the office or speak to one of the priests.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca 905-522-7727

FUNERALS: When a family death occurs, please contact the office for assistance with arrangements.

<u>MARRIAGE:</u> Couples intending to marry, kindly contact the office about a year in advance.

Wedding Anniversary Blessing on the last Sunday of the month.

<u>ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:</u> Do you know someone in need? Please contact 905-512-5475 or visit our website at https://www.ssvphamiltonpc.org/scos

VOCATIONS: Diocese of Hamilton www.hamiltonvocations.com

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:

 Corpus Christi:
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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

July 13/14, 2024 \$ 12,237.45

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Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Mon	St. Mary Magdalene, Disciple of the Lord	
Tues	Rev. Peter Meyer	
Wed	Society of Christ (S.Chr.)	
Thurs	Rev. Lukasz Kopaniak, S.A.C.	
Fri	St. Anne & St. Joachim, Parents of Blessed Virgin Mary	
Sat	Rev. Sam Restivo, C.R.	

Mass Intentions for the Week



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Tues Jul 23	7:00pm	Maria DelSordo
		Frank Tabuns
		Jack Antolich
		Mary McLinsky
		Angelo Condo
		Natalie & Walter Rudzinski
		Special Intentions of Emily &
		Patrick
Wed Jul 24	9:00am	Alfons Sahl
Thurs Jul 25	9:00am	Ikem Ajufoh-Obi
Fri Jul 26	9:00am	Camillo Longhi
Sat Jul 27	5:00pm	Italo Damaini
		Antonio Costantini
		Pedro Rodrigues
		Joao (John) Arruda
		Maureen McDonagh
		Paul Joseph Smith
		Pina Valenti
		Fausto Spagnuolo

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT - SATURDAY, AUGUST 3RD - HAMILTON

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of prayer, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations. The Young Adults Night includes a Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food (7:30pm-8:00pm), praise night with vocations testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, August 3rd at St. Catherine of Siena Church (620 Rymal Road East, Hamilton, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/ For more information: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

<u>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 21,</u> 2024

When the apostles were trying to reflect on their ministry, Jesus asked them to "Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while." Listening to God in quiet prayer is very important in vocation discernment. Listen to God's voice in an out-of the-way place. If you feel the call is genuine, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

ADULT FAITH FORMATION THROUGH VLCFF

The Diocese of Hamilton is proud to partner with Dayton University's Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation (VLCFF) to offer certificate programs for ministry and enrichment for adult faith formation. We are currently taking enrollment for the Youth Ministry Certification Program and the Catechist Formation Program for the Diocese of Hamilton, which begins in September 2024. Three and five week e-seminars are also available at a discounted rate for all adults in the Diocese looking to further their learning. For more information about our programs, and how to register, visit us at www.hamiltondioceselearns.com.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL YOUTH TEAM

If you are looking to give back to your community, we welcome students from grade 7 to grade 12 to join our newly formed youth group. For further information, please call Barb at 905 515-7059

ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Chapel at Rymal and Garth is a part of our parish. Everyone is welcome to attend. Daily weekday Mass at 8:30am, Sun. Mass at 9:30am.

FATHER ROBERT DUNN DONATION: Fr.

Dunn was a dedicated long time priest in our Diocese. In particular, he was a pastor at the former Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. He enthusiastically followed the news about our new church and despite great limitations made the effort to be at our Dedication Mass on October 22, 2023. At the time of his death his funeral Mass was held here in our new church. We have recently received a generous donation of \$21, 367.24 from his estate, which Fr. Dunn wanted to be provided to our church. Fr. Dunn was the Associate Pastor in my home parish when I was a child. Also, I spent one summer as a seminarian when he was Pastor at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. So, I am pleased that his legacy continues through this generous donation to our parish.

WILLS AND DONATIONS TO THE

PARISH: This generous donation in Memory of Fr. Robert Dunn is a good reminder to all parishioners to consider leaving such a donation to the parish in your estate.

COFFEE SUNDAY

Please join us for Coffee Sunday on July 27th & 28th, 2024 after all Masses.



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

SSDP is sponsoring a golf tournament in support of the works of our Society. The tournament will take place on Friday, August 16 at Flamborough Hills golf course, Copetown. Entry fee of \$185 includes lunch, dinner, cart, raffle prizes. Details may be found at Events – St. Vincent de Paul Society – Hamilton Council Do you have extra time during the lazy days of summer? Your help would be greatly appreciated at our SSVP Thrift Store. Please consider contributing a couple of hours a week! Email Rita at ritassyphamilton@gmail.com.

REV. WILLIAM MEEHAN

This Sunday, July 21st, Rev. William Meehan will celebrate his first Mass as a priest at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph (28 Norfolk St, Guelph, ON N1H 4H8). The Mass will be held at 2:00pm, with first blessings and reception to follow. All are welcome.

CONGRATULATIONS REV. WILLIAM MEEHAN!

On the weekend of July 27th & 28th, newly ordained Rev. William Meehan will be presiding at each mass at St. Catherine of Siena Parish. Please help us congratulate him on his Ordination.

<u>INTRODUCTION TO OUR RCIA EVENING – ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA PARISH</u>

"Rite Of Christian Initiation For Adults" AUGUST 14, 2024 – 7pm-8:30pm in the Church Hall

Please join Fr. Peter Robinson (Our Associate Pastor) for an in-person registration night for R.C.I.A. Over the last year, many of you have expressed desire in entering the Catholic Church. To help you do so, we are holding an "Introduction to our RCIA Evening." The date will be August 14 at 7pm here in our parish (at 620 Rymal Road E., Hamilton).

We will serve wine and cheese, meet one another, and give an overview of the RCIA Program. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the pathway provided by the Catholic Church for those who wish to join our global Church. We will begin weekly sessions in early October from 7-8:30pm every Wednesday till Easter in April 2025.

If you can join us, please RSVP at probinson@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-865-7342. Or contact the Parish Office. We look forward to meeting you all!



The date to celebrate is Sunday, July 28, 2024, the 4th World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. This special Day, initiated by Pope Francis, is a precious opportunity to value grandparents and the elderly in our local communities. This year's theme, "Do not cast me off in my old age" (Ps 71:9), highlights the loneliness experienced by many elderly people. In response, we are invited to celebrate a solemn liturgy with grandparents and the elderly and/or to encourage people to visit them, especially those who are isolated.

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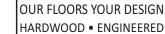
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